



Reception Class Round-Up

Friday 13 May 2022



Some of the lovely things the children have been learning...

In Literacy we have used **Little Red Riding Hood** and **Jack and the Beanstalk** as our focus texts. We have joined in with repeated refrains, sequenced stories and started to write simple instructions. We have completed all lower-case letters in handwriting.



We have had fun **sharing** in maths and introduced key vocabulary such as amount, same, equal, half and fair.



In PSED we have talking about the qualities of a good friend and treating others as we would like to be treated.

Some of the things the children will be learning in the coming weeks...

The next traditional tales we will be using are **Goldilocks and the Three Bears** and **The Three Billy Goats Gruff**. We will be exploring story settings and considering alternative characters and endings.

In Maths we will revisit counting back and subtraction within 10. We will be solving simple problems and recording number sentences.

We will be learning to form capital letters in handwriting and exploring the importance of saying sorry in PSED.

In phonics we have been revising phase 3 sounds...

ai as in rain **ee** as in feet

igh as in high **oa** as in coat

oo as in boot **ar** as in car

or as in corn **ur** as in



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How to help your child at home...

- Share different versions of traditional tales - ask the children to try and read a page or two and identify familiar words
- Encourage children to use expression when reading aloud
- Continue to practise writing using cursive letters - make the purpose of writing as much fun as possible (e.g. a message in a birthday card) Make connections between capital and lower case letters
- Practice simple addition and subtraction problems using real life scenarios
- Practice doubling numbers
- Practically explore sharing with a teddy bear picnic
- Identify odd and even numbers in the environment – e.g. house numbers
- Talk about the materials that are used in our homes and their properties - are they natural or human-made?

What's going on next half term/ notices/ information

- Please make sure all items coming into school are clearly named including sunhats
- Please ensure the children have spare underwear and socks in their bags
- Remember to sign children's reading records each evening

